1

#2/Pre Amot

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as Express Mail, Mailing Label EL 523 934 923, in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on February 4, 2001.

ALZA CORPORATION

By: Bensitta Volaw

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s):

SOUTHAM, Mary et al.

Serial No.

Not yet Assigned

) Group Art Unit:) Not Assigned

Filed :

Evendate Herewith

Examiner:

•

Device for Transdermal

PRELIMINARY

Not Assigned

Electrotransport Delivery of Fentanyl and Sufentanil

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

For

In the above-identified continuation application, before action thereon, kindly amend as follows:

In the Specification

On page 1, after the title, please insert f-This is a continuation of US patent

Application Serial No. 08/952,657 filed March 17, 1998?-
Which is a 3-1 of application Ser. No. PCT/US96/0-1380, Filed May 22, 1996,

Which is a continuation - in-part of application Ser. No. 08,460, 185, filed Jun. 5, 1995,

now abandoned.

In the Claims

Kindly cancel all claims 1-20 and substitute therefor the following new claims:

A method of obtaining analgesia in a human patient who is suffering from pain, consisting of transdermally delivering solely by electrotransport a dose of

or those start start would great the representation of profession when great starts of the start of the start of